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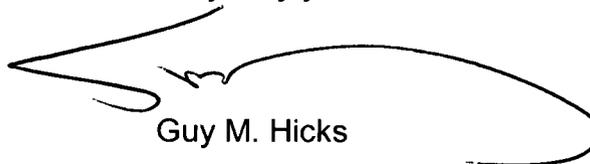
Re: *Petition of LoadPoint, LLC for Arbitration with BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 252*
Docket No. 04-00060

Dear Pre-Arbitration Officer Stone:

In response to your Notice dated August 18, 2004, this is to notify you that the parties have not reached an agreement with respect to Issue Two, the only remaining issue in this proceeding. In response to your Notice, BellSouth is reviewing this matter again to determine if there is a path to resolving Issue 2 by agreement.

A copy of this letter is being provided to counsel of record for Loadpoint.

Very truly yours,



Guy M. Hicks

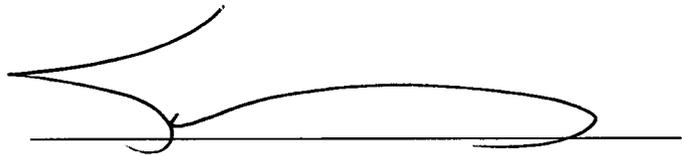
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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Henry Walker", written over a horizontal line.